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## **OBTAINING A MULTIPLE OR SINGLE SUBJECT TEACHING CREDENTIAL USING PEACE CORPS TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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California regulations authorize the Commission to accept specified Peace Corps teaching experience (as specified below) in lieu of the teacher preparation program requirement for the Multiple or Single Subject Teaching Credential.

The Commission requires applicants to provide the following information to waive the teacher preparation program requirements based upon Peace Corps teaching experience:

Certification by the director of the Peace Corps of the United States or the Peace Corps Country Director that the applicant has satisfactorily completed at least 18 months in a Peace Corps assignment in a foreign country, during which time 50 percent or more of his or her duties consisted of classroom teaching of resident children of the foreign country.

- *Applicants must meet all other requirements for the preliminary Multiple or Single Subject Teaching Credential. For a complete description of these requirements, refer to the Multiple Subjects (CL-561) or the Single Subject Teaching Credential (CL-560) brochures available from the Commission.*

Reference: California Education Code, Section 44322

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